







DANVILLE, KY.  
FRIDAY, SEPTEMBER 28, 1855.

**THE MAMMOTH CAVE.**—Our readers will find on our first page, a well written and interesting description of the Mammoth Cave, for which we are indebted to the kindness of W. J. LAMM, Esq., of Lancaster. We hope friend Lamm will favor us with the productions of his ready pen whenever occasion may offer. We are proud to class him among our most valued correspondents.

**WE were gratified** during the recent Conference to meet our old and valued friend, Rev. L. D. HERRICK, at present editor of the *Union* and *Standard* of this city. He is making an excellent editor and the publications under his charge are rapidly attaining the circulation they so richly deserve.

**ENTERTAINERS IN TOWN.**—Among the nobles in attendance at our fair, we have had the pleasure of meeting A. S. MITCHELL, Esq., of the *St. Louis News* and *Intelligencer*, and R. H. JOHNSON, Esq., of the *Richmond Messenger*. Major Barker, the veteran tyro, formerly of the United States Army, passed through our town on Wednesday last.

**REVIVAL OF RELIGION.**—An interesting protracted meeting has been in progress for some weeks past, at the First Meeting House, in Gerard county. Rev. Messrs. KIRKLEY and GARDNER, of the Baptist Church, have been in attendance, and have labored about 80 new members into that branch of the Church. The rite of baptism by immersion was conferred upon the newly converted persons on Tuesday last, in the presence of a large concourse of spectators.

**"THE GOOD TIME COMING."**—The printing fraternity are looking forward hopefully to the time when marriage notices will come in by dozens and scores, and each one be accompanied by a dollar. It is beginning to be fashionable to receive such already. We have in the past three weeks received no less than three marriage announcements, each of which added just a dollar to our stock of funds.

"Ten dollars to printer and priest,  
No sensible man can refuse;  
Nine dollars to render him best,  
And one to publish the news."

We wish it particularly understood, however, that we make no charge for inserting marriage notices. They are always published free. We mention the above facts, only to show that though the "good time coming" has not yet fully arrived, it may not be so far off as some might imagine.

**SOME MERRILL.**—We acknowledge the receipt of an invitation to attend a promenade concert, to be given at the Concert Hall in Lancaster, by the young men of that town, on this evening, at 8 o'clock. We'd like to be there.

**LAMM'S SADDLERY BAND, OF LANCASTER.**—This celebrated band is in attendance at our fair, enlivening the occasion with excellent music, adding, of course, very greatly to the enjoyment and satisfaction of the large crowds of spectators in attendance. Lamm's band is composed of as clever a set of fellows as ever trod a horn.

**EXTRAORDINARY SAVING.**—A communication in another column gives the particulars of an extraordinary—even wonderful—job of sawing recently performed by a steam saw mill of Messrs. MOORE & LAMB, in Lincoln county. If any mill with one saw has ever done more work in the same length of time, we would like to hear of it.

**DANVILLE STEAM MILL.**—We have heretofore neglected to notice the improvements recently made in our town by Mr. D. CROZIER, late of Jessamine county. Mr. C. has converted the large buildings on the old Yeager farm into a commodious and well-arranged Woolen Factory, where he is engaged in manufacturing jones and linsey of superior quality. He has also converted on the same lot a very large saw mill, combining all the late improvements to facilitate his milling operations. The entire arrangements of every department, are such as will enable Mr. C. to do a heavy business. His engine, which furnishes power to both the factory and mill, is of large size, and supplies sufficient force to run an immense amount of machinery. His corn and wheat mills are now both in operation, and he is prepared to grind all the grain which may be sent to him; and he has prepared to fill orders for any quantity of fine or common flour, corn meal, &c.

Those who may deal with Mr. Crozier will find him an accommodating, punctual, honest man, who will do justice to all his patrons. It is needless for us to attempt an estimate of the benefits our town and the surrounding country will derive from his factory and mill. The want of such conveniences has long been a subject of complaint, and Mr. Crozier deserves the thanks of our people for his enterprise in furnishing them. We hope he will be liberally sustained.

An advertisement of his mill will be found in another column.

**TEMPERANCE ADVOCATE.**—We neglected last week to acknowledge the receipt of the initial number of the *"Temperance Advocate,"* published at Frankfort, by A. G. HONORS & Co., and edited by L. HORN, Esq. The Advocate is the organ of the Grand Division of Kentucky, and is published under the supervision of a committee appointed by that body. The number before us exhibits neatness in mechanical execution, and ability in its editorial department. Mr. Horn is a forcible writer, a reliable man, and is devoted to the cause of Temperance. We do not but that the Advocate will be in every respect worthy the support and patronage of the friends of Temperance in our State. Terms \$1 per annum in advance.

**DEATH OF CAPT. GATZKE.**—We learn from the Harrodsburg, Ploughboy, that Capt. E. B. GATZKE, who formerly represented Adair county in the State Legislature, and who was a soldier in the Mexican war, died at the residence of his father-in-law, Mr. E. Hutchinson, in Mercer county, on Monday night week.

**FLOUR IS AGAIN ADVANCING.**—The constant demand for shipment to the East has given it an upward tendency.

## The Fair.

The Fourth Annual Fair of the Central Kentucky Association, commenced at the Fair ground in this vicinity on Tuesday last. Our town is of course thronged with people, and the display of countless articles to and from the fair grounds, lends to our streets an exceedingly animated appearance. The weather for the most part has thus far been very propitious, cool and reasonable. There is a large attendance of spectators, and the exhibition on the first two days we believe exceeded any before held by this Association. Indeed, we heard several persons who attended the great Lexington Fair remark that the show on our fair grounds, the present year, has been much superior to that at Lexington. The exhibition of the handiwork of the ladies on the first day, was unusually extensive, embracing a large number of surpassingly beautiful and meritorious articles—the products of much patience, taste and ingenuity. What a pity that the heart of each fair exhibitor could not be gladdened by a premium—The display of fruits, flowers, vegetables, farming implements, saddlery, harness, leather, dairy products, &c., was also good. Such vegetables and fruits—who ever saw the like before?

The second day, Wednesday, was devoted, mainly, to the exhibition of horses. The whole display was interesting, the rings were large, and the premiums were in nearly every instance spiritedly competed for. A fine exhibition of these noble animals we do not believe was ever made in the State. They were in fine order, full of spirit and courage, and by their noble bearing, to have an idea of their importance, and a desire to show off to the best possible advantage. In one ring there were as high as 22 entries.

Yesterday was devoted to the exhibition of Cattle, Dogs, and Sheep, and to-day to John, Virginia, Mules and Saddle and Harness Horses, all of which we will have something to say in our next.

The list of premiums awarded on the first and second days will be found in another column.

## The Conference.

The Kentucky Conference of the M. E. Church South, adjourned on Tuesday afternoon last, after a pleasant and interesting session of one week. During the session of the Conference, our citizens had the opportunity of listening to sermons and addresses from a number of its most talented and distinguished members, as also from a number of visiting ministers attached to other Conferences—among the latter, Bishop Kavanaugh, Dr. Schen, Father Holman, Dr. Stevenson, Prof. Baldwin and Dr. Hamilton. The deliberations of the Conference were characterized by good feeling, and the uppermost desire of all seemed to be, that its proceedings should be such as would be best calculated to promote the great cause of religion and humanity in the world. Bishop Paine, the presiding officer, enjoys the highest respect and esteem of the members, and very deservedly so, for we have rarely if ever seen the chairman of any deliberative assembly, more dignified, firm and impartial, and at the same time mild and kindly-spoken than he is. His next appointment is at the annual session of the Louisville Conference, which commences in Greenville, Ky., on Wednesday next.

We publish in another column, a list of the appointments of preachers for the ensuing Conference year. It will be seen that the Rev. Mr. STEVENSON, who for two years past, has labored among us as the pastor of the Methodist Church in this place, goes to Newport, Ky., and is succeeded here by the Rev. Dr. LINS. We commend Mr. Stevenson to the members of his new charge and the citizens of Newport generally. We have been intimately associated with him during his stay in our midst, and have ever found him to be a high-toned Christian gentleman, a faithful pastor and a ripe scholar—firm and independent in the discharge of all his duties. Dr. Lins, his successor, is too well known by most of our citizens to need any commendation at our hands. He was stationed in this place thirteen years ago, and returns to us distinguished as an eloquent and powerful preacher. Thoroughly imbued with the spirit of his work, he labors without doubt to be highly acceptable to those immediately under his charge, while his eloquence in the pulpit, and his sociability and agreeable manners, will render him estimable to all our people.

The following resolution was passed by a unanimous vote of the Conference, and its publication requested in our paper:

Resolved, That we hereby tender our thanks to the citizens of Danville and vicinity, for their kind hospitality in entertaining this Conference, and to the pastors of the Baptist, 1st and 2d Presbyterian, and Reform Churches, for the use of their houses of worship during our session.

**THE Louisville Times and Democrat**, after a long time, have at last mustered and drummed up a lot of certificates concerning the election riots in that city. These certificates are amusing, if nothing else. They give long accounts of individual fights and encounters, and such like, but the notorious facts that innocent Americans were fired upon and killed, that Quinn's Row was a perfect fort, filled with reckless foreigners, who fired indiscriminately upon every American within their range, they cannot smooth over. The *Journal* of next week will contain additional testimony in regard to the facts in the case.

**NEW STATES.**—There are four territories whose population will probably, within a year, entitle them to states. The ratio of Congressional apportionment is now one Representative to every 33,420 inhabitants. But it has been customary heretofore to admit territories as states with a single Representative when their population amounted to 60,000. Minnesota, it appears by her recent census, has a population of over 55,000, and is rapidly growing. Oregon, last year had 48,000, and probably now equals Minnesota. New Mexico had, at the time of the formation of her territorial government, (in 1850,) 61,500 inhabitants. They then framed a constitution—Kansas follows behind either of the others in population.

**THE GARDEN PURCHASE.**—Another California, perhaps. The *New York Times* learns from authority in New York explicit reliance may be placed, that the territory acquired under the Gadsden treaty by the United States, is rich in mineral wealth, containing gold and silver in great abundance. The *Times* says that there need no longer be any doubt as to the value of the Gadsden purchase, as in it another California awaits the pickaxe and shovel of the hardy miner, promising a beautiful reward for the labor which shall unearth its treasures.

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Rabbit Quilt, 5 entries, Mrs. W. T. Curry, Harrodsburg, premium; Miss Henrietta Morgan, Lexington, certificate.  
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Butter, 6 entries, Mrs. Jas. S. Hopkins, Boyle, premium; Mrs. W. L. Caldwell, Boyle, certificate.  
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Shoes or Gaiters, made by a lady, 3 entries, Mrs. N. S. Underhill, Lancaster, premium; Mrs. Dr. W. Danville, Danville, certificate.  
Get Couch Harness, S. F. Barber, Danville, premium and certificate.  
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**SECOND DAY.**  
Rockaway, Rule & Brother, Lexington, premium.  
Boggy, 2 entries, Grubb & Bash, Danville, premium; Geo. Thibault, Danville, certificate.  
Blooded Stallion, aged, 7 entries, S. R. Grandy, Washington, premium; D. W. Jones, Lincoln, certificate.  
Blooded Mare, aged, 17 entries, Jno. A. Tomlinson, Mercer, premium; John Garrard, certificate.  
Blooded Stallion, 15 entries, John M. Harrison, Mercer, premium; Jas. Oldham, Lincoln, certificate.  
Best Lamb, 10 entries, Jno. R. Lytle, Boyle, premium and certificate.  
Stallion for harness, aged, 7 entries, Marcelus Nichols, Fayette, premium; Wm. Garrett, Lincoln, certificate.  
Stallion 2 year old and under 3, 3 entries, J. S. Kennedy, Fayette, premium; Weisiger & Kincaid, Boyle, premium.  
Stallion 1 year old and under 2, 6 entries, Thos. K. Salter, Garrard, premium; Gill & Weisiger, Boyle, certificate.  
Stallion under 1 yr old, 15 entries, R. T. Tolhunter, Fayette, premium; J. Gentry, Lincoln, certificate.  
Mare for harness, aged, 22 entries, A. B. Bowman, Fayette, premium; Chas. Clark, Boyle, certificate.  
Mare 2 years old and under 3, 5 entries, John D. Terhune, Danville, premium; J. H. McGinnis, Boyle, certificate.  
Mare 1 year old and under 2, 6 entries, J. M. McCan, Mercer, premium; John Garrett, Washington, certificate.  
Mare under 1 year old, 12 entries, Katy Loe, Boyle, premium; T. K. Salter, Garrard, certificate.  
Saddle Stallion, aged, 2 entries, Richardson & Iselin, Lincoln, premium; F. P. Kincaid, Mercer, certificate.  
2 yrs old and under 3, 2 entries, Jno. F. Spears, Boyle, premium and certificate.  
1 yr old and under 2, 4 entries, Gill & Weisiger, Boyle, premium; Geo. Turner, certificate.  
Under 1 yr old, 3 entries, J. H. McGinnis, Boyle, premium; John R. Lytle, Boyle, certificate.  
Saddle Mare, aged, 13 entries, A. D. Taylor, Boyle, premium; Malcom Gill, Garrard, certificate.  
2 yrs old and under 3, 3 entries, P. M. Myler, Boyle, premium; A. D. Taylor, Boyle, certificate.  
1 yr old and under 2, 4 entries, P. M. Talbot, Boyle, premium; D. B. Caldwell, Lincoln, certificate.  
Under 1 year, 7 entries, D. B. Caldwell, Lincoln, premium; Chas. Crow, Lincoln, certificate.  
Draft Stallion, aged, 5 entries, Wm. Hall, premium; A. Bowman, certificate.  
Draft Mare, aged, 12 entries, J. W. Durlan, Boyle, premium; M. J. Shropshire, Garrard, certificate.  
Pair Ducks, J. H. Williamson, Boyle, premium.  
Brahma Fowls, 4 entries, W. T. Curry, Mercer, premium; S. H. Caldwell, Boyle, certificate.  
Shanghai Chickens, J. K. Bishop, Boyle, premium and certificate.  
Sumatra game, S. H. Gregg, Garrard, premium; T. Salter, Garrard, certificate.  
Best variety of Chickens, S. H. Gregg, Garrard, premium; Jas. Bentley, Lincoln, certificate.  
Best pair of any kind, J. A. Kins, Danville, premium; J. K. Bishop, Boyle, certificate.

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## Appointments of Preachers.

By the Kentucky Conference of the Methodist Church, South, for the ensuing year: Lexington District—John O. Davis, P. E.; Lexington—T. P. C. Shelton; T. N. Kallston, superintendent.  
Frankfort—John M. Donnell.  
Versailles and Georgetown—H. J. Perry.  
Nicholasville—T. J. applied.  
Jesseville and Woodford—John E. Varnet.  
Winchester and Mt. Vernon—R. H. Hays.  
Vienna—To be supplied.  
Paris and North Middletown—John H. Eads.  
Mt. Sterling—Lemuel D. Parker.  
Oakford—W. M. Vize.  
Lebanon—J. Foster.  
Tommahoe, G. H. Withers, Boyle Gardens, premium and certificate.

**2d day, 7 entries, Jno. B. Talbot, Boyle, premium; J. R. Lytle, Boyle, certificate.**  
Beans, Mrs. W. B. Caldwell, Boyle, premium; Mrs. Abram Irvine, Boyle, certificate.  
Onion, 2 entries, Jas. F. Caldwell, Boyle, premium; G. H. Withers, Boyle, certificate.  
Half dozen bunches Salsify, Jno. Kincaid, Boyle, premium; Mrs. Abram Irvine, Boyle, certificate.  
Celery, 3 entries, Mrs. Martha Ball, Boyle, premium; G. H. Withers, Boyle, certificate.  
Wheat, Wm. Stewart, Boyle, premium and certificate.  
Corn on the ear, 4 entries, Jeff Dunn, Garrard, premium; J. M. Myler, Boyle, certificate.  
Dr. J. M. Myler, Boyle, premium and certificate.  
Barley, D. W. Jones, Lincoln, premium and certificate.  
Rye, Dr. J. M. Myler, Boyle, premium and certificate.  
Timothy Seed, 3 entries, J. H. Williamson, Boyle, premium; D. B. Caldwell, Lincoln, certificate.  
Orchard Grass Seed, Dr. J. M. Myler, Boyle, premium; J. H. Williamson, Boyle, certificate.  
Two horse Plow, for seed, 2 entries, R. J. Marks, Mercer, premium.  
Sabbath Plow, 3 entries, Johnson, premium and certificate.  
Two horse Wagon, G. D. Snider, Boyle, premium; Corn Crusher, J. H. Akin, Danville, premium; Grain Cradle Reaper, J. B. Akin, Danville, premium.

**SECOND DAY.**  
Rockaway, Rule & Brother, Lexington, premium.  
Boggy, 2 entries, Grubb & Bash, Danville, premium; Geo. Thibault, Danville, certificate.  
Blooded Stallion, aged, 7 entries, S. R. Grandy, Washington, premium; D. W. Jones, Lincoln, certificate.  
Blooded Mare, aged, 17 entries, Jno. A. Tomlinson, Mercer, premium; John Garrard, certificate.  
Blooded Stallion, 15 entries, John M. Harrison, Mercer, premium; Jas. Oldham, Lincoln, certificate.  
Best Lamb, 10 entries, Jno. R. Lytle, Boyle, premium and certificate.  
Stallion for harness, aged, 7 entries, Marcelus Nichols, Fayette, premium; Wm. Garrett, Lincoln, certificate.  
Stallion 2 year old and under 3, 3 entries, J. S. Kennedy, Fayette, premium; Weisiger & Kincaid, Boyle, premium.  
Stallion 1 year old and under 2, 6 entries, Thos. K. Salter, Garrard, premium; Gill & Weisiger, Boyle, certificate.  
Stallion under 1 yr old, 15 entries, R. T. Tolhunter, Fayette, premium; J. Gentry, Lincoln, certificate.  
Mare for harness, aged, 22 entries, A. B. Bowman, Fayette, premium; Chas. Clark, Boyle, certificate.  
Mare 2 years old and under 3, 5 entries, John D. Terhune, Danville, premium; J. H. McGinnis, Boyle, certificate.  
Mare 1 year old and under 2, 6 entries, J. M. McCan, Mercer, premium; John Garrett, Washington, certificate.  
Mare under 1 year old, 12 entries, Katy Loe, Boyle, premium; T. K. Salter, Garrard, certificate.  
Saddle Stallion, aged, 2 entries, Richardson & Iselin, Lincoln, premium; F. P. Kincaid, Mercer, certificate.  
2 yrs old and under 3, 2 entries, Jno. F. Spears, Boyle, premium and certificate.  
1 yr old and under 2, 4 entries, Gill & Weisiger, Boyle, premium; Geo. Turner, certificate.  
Under 1 yr old, 3 entries, J. H. McGinnis, Boyle, premium; John R. Lytle, Boyle, certificate.  
Saddle Mare, aged, 13 entries, A. D. Taylor, Boyle, premium; Malcom Gill, Garrard, certificate.  
2 yrs old and under 3, 3 entries, P. M. Myler, Boyle, premium; A. D. Taylor, Boyle, certificate.  
1 yr old and under 2, 4 entries, P. M. Talbot, Boyle, premium; D. B. Caldwell, Lincoln, certificate.  
Under 1 year, 7 entries, D. B. Caldwell, Lincoln, premium; Chas. Crow, Lincoln, certificate.  
Draft Stallion, aged, 5 entries, Wm. Hall, premium; A. Bowman, certificate.  
Draft Mare, aged, 12 entries, J. W. Durlan, Boyle, premium; M. J. Shropshire, Garrard, certificate.  
Pair Ducks, J. H. Williamson, Boyle, premium.  
Brahma Fowls, 4 entries, W. T. Curry, Mercer, premium; S. H. Caldwell, Boyle, certificate.  
Shanghai Chickens, J. K. Bishop, Boyle, premium and certificate.  
Sumatra game, S. H. Gregg, Garrard, premium; T. Salter, Garrard, certificate.  
Best variety of Chickens, S. H. Gregg, Garrard, premium; Jas. Bentley, Lincoln, certificate.  
Best pair of any kind, J. A. Kins, Danville, premium; J. K. Bishop, Boyle, certificate.

**THE NEXT SPEAKER.**—The Washington correspondent of the *New York Times* discourses as follows on the Speakership: The chances for Speakership of the House has commenced with great animation. The Republican factionists have perhaps, a greater number of members than any other party or faction. Their candidate is not yet settled upon. It may be Alice, of Indiana, formerly a Democrat; L. D. Campbell, of Ohio, Free-Soil Whig; Banks, of Mass., late a Free-Soil Democrat, or Giddings, Independent. The Democrats have numerous competitors. There are Richardson, of Illinois; Orr, of S. C.; Howell Cobb, of Georgia, if elected by the people; Thomas H. Bayley, and other Virginians. There are not more than a dozen Whigs proper in the House. They will hardly run a separate candidate. The preferences of the Know-Nothing are divided between Hays, of New York, late Whig, and perhaps the most prominent representative of the order; Humphrey Marshall, late Fillmore and Silver Gray Whig; Extra Billy Smith, of Virginia, late fine-cutting Democrat; Judge William W. Smith, of Alabama, late Democrat; and Banks, of Massachusetts, named above. Of these last five, I consider the chances of Hays and Marshall to be nearly balanced, and practically to absorb those of all the others of the Know-Nothing phalanx. The Southern Know-Nothing Whigs will ardently support him. Therefore Hays, of New Orleans, if he shall be elected, which is yet too doubtful to be confidently speculated upon.

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